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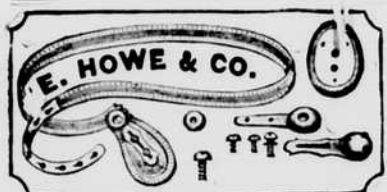
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WEDNESDAY AFTERNOONS.

DR. H. W. HAYNES begs to notify his patrons and others that until further notice his dental rooms will be closed on Wednesday afternoons. Ellsworth, Oct. 25, 1899.

The more eyes an advertisement catches the more dollars it is worth.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS WEEK.

Andrew W. Soper—Foreclosure notice.
Admiral notice—Est. Harriet J. Simonton.
Admiral notice—Est. Diadama E. Clark.
W. H. Dresser—Evening school.
C. R. Foster—Furniture.
B. C. Hodgkins—Confectionery.
A. W. Cushman & Son—Furniture.
F. B. Atken—Guns, stoves, furnaces, etc.
J. A. Cunningham—Confectioner.

PORTLAND:
Oren Hooper's Sons—Morris chairs.

MISCELLANEOUS:
Harry Weissinger Tobacco Co.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

For other local news see pages 4, 5 and 8

Mrs. J. A. Peters, jr., is visiting in Boston.

Mrs. E. L. Curtis is visiting her daughter, Miss Winnie Davis, in Boston.

The Epworth league will serve supper at the Methodist vestry this evening.

There will be a circle supper at the Unitarian vestry to-morrow evening.

The flag on the custom house is at half-mast to-day for Vice-President Hobart.

E. K. Hopkins returned this week from Brooklyn. He will spend the winter here.

Blanquet commandery K. T. will meet Monday evening, Nov. 27, for practice.

Mrs. Sarah J. Ayer, of Dexter, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John P. Eldridge, in this city.

The schooner "Yreka" came off the marine railway Friday, and is loading with staves for Rondout.

Mrs. Harry W. Haynes, with little son Charles, is visiting Mrs. Charles S. Bragdon in Brockton, Mass.

Sheriff Hooper has his crew of nine prisoners at work whitewashing and painting the interior of the jail.

Mrs. George H. Grant and her daughter Marie are visiting in Boston. They expect to remain until after the holidays.

Mrs. Eugene Hale left Ellsworth for Washington Monday for the season. The senator will not leave until later.

Mrs. Frank N. Fowler and three children, of Ames, Iowa, are visiting James A. McGown. They will remain a few weeks.

National Bank Examiner Charles W. Curtis, of Dexter, was in Ellsworth yesterday, visiting the Burrill national bank.

The Methodist society is preparing for a missionary concert to be given in about two weeks, for the twentieth century offering.

Miss Ray Whiting expects to enter the National Park seminary for girls at Washington, D. C., at the opening of the winter term, Jan. 4.

Eliso Perey, wife and son, who have been living here for the past few years, left last night to return to their former home in Mexico to reside.

District Deputy Rev. Joseph R. Norwood, K. P., of Northeast Harbor, will visit Donauqua lodge this evening. A large attendance is desired.

Miss Alice H. Scott has purchased the Hagerthy house on School street, and will begin housekeeping there soon. Mrs. Lydia Higgins will live with her.

The county commissioners returned Thursday from their hearing on petition for new road at Seal Harbor. Indications are that the petition will be granted.

The Abenakis club was thrown open to the ladies last evening. Whist was the feature. Every other Tuesday during the winter will be ladies' day at the club.

The Bangor *Whig and Courier* to-day, in its gallery of "Men Prominent in State Affairs", prints an excellent likeness of Hon. John D. Hopkins, of Ellsworth.

Capt. Wellington C. Bellamy has taken command of the schooner "Myronus", and sailed for Swan's Island Friday to load stone for New York. The "Leonora" is hauled up at Surry.

Charles H. Curtis has built an addition to the shop occupied by him on Water street, near his shipyard, and has set up his paint plant in it. Power will also be supplied to the carpenter shop.

Mrs. M. A. King, of Abington, Mass., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. W. Rollins. She is accompanied by her son's wife, Mrs. J. T. King, of Abington, who will leave Saturday to visit relatives in Langrange.

Miss Effie Davis, who was injured in the Mt. Desert Ferry accident and who has been in Bar Harbor several weeks for medical treatment, returned home last Wednesday. Her health is much improved.

E. Bonsey & Son have moved their sash and blind and woodworking shop to a building owned by them on the east side of Water street, a short distance below their former location. They will put in steam power.

Miss Harriet A. Joy, of Grand Forks, N. D., is in town for a few days visiting relatives and friends. Miss Joy and her sister Caroline have spent the past year in Brooksville. They expect to go to North Dakota soon.

At the home of Wallace Raymond a suspected case of scarlet fever caused the quarantining of the family. There is some doubt as to the nature of the disease, but the board of health isolated the family as a matter of precaution.

The city government recently negotiated a temporary loan of \$3,462.03 at 3½ per cent. The money was used to pay temporary loans at 4 per cent, which were called in, the city saving ½ per cent. on that amount of money by the transaction.

Ellsworth was well represented at the Harvard-Yale football game in Boston

last Saturday. Among those who saw the game were A. K. Cushman and wife, R. E. Mason and wife, Col. H. E. Hamlin, Henry Whiting, John F. Knowlton and son Morris, George R. Cunningham and T. H. Murphy.

Mrs. Ellen F. Willard and Clifford G. Royal, both of Ellsworth, were married last Wednesday evening by Rev. C. S. McLearn, of the Baptist church, at the home of Mrs. Mary A. Osgood, sister of the groom. A number of guests were present.

Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dresser, who has been at the hospital in Bar Harbor for some time for treatment for hip disease, was brought home last week. She will be confined to the use of crutches for some time yet, but the physicians give every encouragement of a permanent cure.

Rev. J. P. Simonton, of the Methodist church, will go to Franklin Friday to assist in revival services for a few days. It is expected that Rev. J. E. Lombard, of Franklin, will preach in Ellsworth Sunday in exchange with Mr. Simonton.

Hon. Weston F. Milliken, collector of customs at Portland, and prominent in business and financial affairs in the State, died Sunday, aged seventy years. Mr. Milliken was at one time quite largely interested in Ellsworth mill property and lumber operations.

The work of laying the water pipes to the new hydrant in front of the Walker place on Bridge hill is completed. In spite of the bad weather, Superintendent Cushman pushed the job through in fine shape. Water was turned on Saturday and the filling in completed to-day.

Arthur Shute, wife and little daughter Helen left Ellsworth last week for Boston, on their way to Port Angeles, Wash., where they will reside. They left Boston yesterday for the West. Their son, Martin Shute, who is attending the University of Maine, and daughter, Miss Mary L. Shute, will remain in the East.

The carriage business of M. E. Maloney has been moved from South street to the Bonsey building on Water street, recently purchased by Mr. Maloney. The first floor will be used as a carriage repository, the second floor as a paint shop, and the third floor as trimming shop. The carriage shop will be in the building back of the main building.

Schools Nos. 1, 2, 8 and 11 opened Monday. Nos. 10 and 12 will open next Monday. In all these schools the teachers are the same as at last term. Miss Ethelyn Jordan will teach the next term at No. 4 in place of Mrs. Hettie Holt, resigned. Miss Mary R. Joy, a graduate of the high school, class of '99, will teach No. 17. The schools in the city will open Jan. 2.

Rear Admiral Bradford is in Ellsworth to-day to investigate the various sites which have been bonded as possible locations for the proposed Frenchman's bay coal station. To-day in company with Senator Hale, Col. H. E. Hamlin and John A. Peters, jr., he is at Lamoine Point to look over the property bonded there, which seems most in favor at present.

The young lady friends of the high school football team will give a public supper for the benefit of the team, this evening, at Odd Fellows' hall, from 5.30 to 7 o'clock. There will be toasts after the supper. Principal E. H. Pratt, of the high school, will preside as toastmaster. Speeches are expected from Mayor Greely, Rev. A. H. Coar, Judge John B. Redman, J. F. Knowlton and others.

H. H. Havey, of Sullivan, who went to New York in the interest of the owners of the schooner "Mary C. Stuart", which went ashore on Long Island, writes that he can settle the salvage for \$1,700, and the vessel can be repaired for \$1,000. At first the wrecking company claimed \$3,000. Mr. Havey says the cargo of coal, on which there was an insurance of \$600, was saved. The vessel probably will be repaired by the present owners.

Supt. of Schools W. H. Dresser will open an evening school in the school-room in Hancock hall. The school will be open to anyone—age is no barrier. The course of study has not been decided upon, but will be practical—writing, mathematics, book-keeping, etc. It is believed that the school will be a boon to many who feel the need of a better education in these necessary branches, but who are employed during the day. The school will open December 1.

As the schooner "Leonora", from Bangor for Ellsworth, was passing Fort Knox in tow of the "Bismarck" last week, George Wayland, of Bangor, a sailor, while standing on the afterhouse loosing the mainsail, was thrown into the river. Wayland with his heavy clothing and rubber boots on, was having a hard time. He was nearly exhausted when taken from the water by a man who happened to be near in a small boat, but was soon able to join his vessel which had anchored down river. It was a close call.

The concert offered by the Dirigo athletic club on Thanksgiving evening promises to be one of rare interest. Miss Libby is spoken of by the Massachusetts papers as a musician of a high order, handling the harp in a most exquisite manner. Mr. Eaton, the impersonator, also has some very flattering press notices. Of Miss Monaghan it is not necessary to speak at length. One of her selections will be Eckert's famous "Echo" song which she sings with great effect. Monaghan's orchestra of eight pieces will furnish the music for the ball that is to follow the concert.

In the Kennebec supreme court last Wednesday the jury found Bradford P. Knight guilty of murder in the first de-

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QUARTERLY MEETING

Held with the Free Baptist Society in Ellsworth last week.

The Ellsworth quarterly meeting was held at the Free Baptist church in this city Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The attendance was as large as usual at the meeting held this season of the year. The people were disappointed in the expectation of having Revs. G. G. Mosher and S. C. Whitcomb, of Bangor, with them, they being unable to attend.

The meeting opened Friday afternoon with a business session. Rev. Henry Parsons, of Hancock, was chosen moderator; Rev. H. A. Luckenbach, of Ellsworth, assistant moderator; Dea. H. W. Dunn, of Ellsworth, clerk, and Mrs. Fred Blaisdell, of Franklin, assistant clerk. J. J. Carr, of Ellsworth, Mrs. Varnum, of East Franklin, and Mrs. Smith, of West Franklin, were chosen a committee on pulpit supply.

Friday evening Deacons A. P. Bunker and John Crimmin, of Eastbrook, delegates to the State convention, gave an interesting report of the convention. Rev. Henry Parsons preached from the text: "I shall be satisfied when I awake in Thy likeness." A social service followed.

Saturday morning Rev. C. S. Bureleigh, of Eden, led a social service, and S. H. Sumner, of East Franklin, preached on "Opportunity".

Saturday afternoon Rev. H. A. Luckenbach preached on "Christ our Refuge". This was followed by a missionary service. In the evening there was a young people's rally, led by Rev. Henry Parsons, who preached to the young people. A social service followed.

Sunday morning a social service was conducted by S. H. Sumner. At 10 o'clock Rev. H. A. Luckenbach preached on "Christ our Burden-bearer". In the afternoon there was a sermon by Mr. Sumner on "Christ". The closing service of the meeting was at 6 p. m., when Rev. D. B. Smith, of Franklin, conducted a social service. In the evening the visiting pastors, united with the Ellsworth pastors in the union meeting to protest against the seating of Congressman-elect Roberts, of Utah. A report of that meeting appears elsewhere in this issue.

Thanksgiving Evening.

Thanksgiving evening ought always to be spent at home. And let everybody have an open fire that can. Turn the kitchen over to the children if they want it. Let them have pumpkin pie, make jack-o'-lanterns of old tin cans, coaches, such as Miss Alcott describes in *Little Men*. Let them popcorn and let them make molasses candy.—*Exchange.*

Advertisements.

Beef, Iron and Wine. Beef is for nutriment, iron makes blood, wine is a grateful tonic. And the combination as we make it is a splendid for weak or overworked people. Put bottle, 50 cents. **Parcher, The Druggist.**

COMING EVENTS.

Wednesday, Nov. 22, at Methodist vestry—Supper by Epworth League.

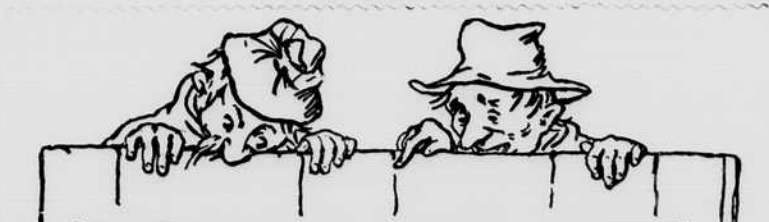
Wednesday, Nov. 22, 5.30 p. m., at Odd Fellows hall—Supper for benefit high school football team. Tickets, 25 cents.

Thursday, Nov. 23, 6 p. m., at Unitarian vestry—Circle supper; 15 cents.

Tuesday, Nov. 28—Meeting Riverview local union, C. E., at South Hancock.

Thursday, Nov. 30, at Hancock hall—Thanksgiving concert and ball of Dirigo club.

Advertisements.



LOOK OVER

This Ad and then get into an Overcoat of ours and you will hate to get out of it. They are not only stylishly cut and attractively trimmed, but the wide velvet collar hugs you so snug and pleasing around the neck, that, like the arms of your best girl, it feels lovely. The prices are low so that you can afford to buy one.

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STATE OF MAINE.



THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION

By the Governor.

As we approach the termination of the year, we should be devoutly conscious of the manifold blessings which it has so abundantly brought to our State and all that dwell therein, with no grudging hand. Abundant harvests, successful business activity and enterprise, unprecedented prosperity, happiness and progress have characterized the year, and we have been able to mark and emphasize the benefits and enjoyments which have crowned the rolling seasons of the year. For these and many other temporal blessings—for health and exemption from all calamities and contagious diseases—for high religious and educational privileges and advancement, and especially for the spirit of patriotism, self-sacrifice and devotion to the best interests of humanity, progress and good government that has guided and determined our onward march as a people among the nations of the earth, we have, indeed, abundant reasons for thanksgiving and for humbly and reverently recognizing the goodness of "the Lord of Hosts, wonderful in counsel and excellent in working." Therefore, I, Llewellyn Powers, Governor of the State of Maine, conforming to and adopting the time named in the Thanksgiving proclamation of the President of the United States, do, with the advice and consent of the executive council, hereby designate Thursday, the 30th day of November, A. D. 1899,

as a day of general thanksgiving, to be observed by all the inhabitants of our State in their homes and churches, and I earnestly request them on that day to refrain from all unnecessary labor, and also to remember by appropriate gifts and substantial aid, the poor, the unfortunate and the suffering, as charity and benevolence are among the most devout and Christian thanks that can be proffered to Him whose "hand has been upon us for good" and whose goodness and guidance, we, one and all, desire to thankfully recognize and acknowledge.

Given at the Executive Chamber, at Augusta, this thirtieth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and twenty-fourth.

LLEWELLYN POWERS.

By the Governor.

BYRON BOYD, Secretary of State.

The mass meeting at the Congregational church in Ellsworth last Sunday evening to protest against the seating in Congress of Polygamist Roberts, was only one of the thousands that are being held throughout the country. From evidence that has not been uncontradicted, it seems that the plural marriage feature of Mormonism is by no means eliminated from either the doctrine or practice of the faith. This is contrary to the spirit as well as the letter of the law under which Utah was admitted to the Union. The boldness of Roberts can most effectively be rebuked by refusing him a seat in the House. The indications are that this will be done, and it ought to be.

Garret A. Hobart, vice-president of the United States, died yesterday morning at his home in Paterson, N. J. For some time it has been known that Mr. Hobart could not live, but for a few days before his death he seemed to rally, and his personal friends grew more hopeful. Mr. Hobart was fifty-five years of age. He was a native of New Jersey, in which state he has long been a leader in his party. He was an ideal vice-president, well fitted not only for his duties as presiding officer of the Senate, but for the emergency in contemplation of which his office was created. He was a good parliamentarian, and quick in disposing of business at his desk. His firm and impartial manner won the respect of all senators, while his genial personality made him one of the most popular men who ever filled the high office. His death is a national loss, and to the many who knew him intimately, a personal loss.

Dr. Wise, of the second district of Virginia, who was seated in the last House after a contest, will contest the same seat against the same opponent in the next House. Speaking of the frauds practiced in his district in order to make a democratic majority where everybody knows the majority is overwhelmingly republican, Dr. Wise said: "This outrage on the purity of the ballot cannot be indefinitely continued. There are signs of a revulsion of feeling among democrats of the better class, who are tired of seeing this rascally work done year after year. And when election day in 1900

comes around, hundreds of Virginia democrats will cast their votes for McKinley, for they are anxious to see a continuation of the present prosperity, which they fear would be changed to adversity if their party should get in power."

Mrs. Elizabeth I. Joy, wife of Representative Joy, of Missouri, is actively engaged in working up sentiment against allowing Roberts, the polygamist representative-elect from Utah, to retain his membership in the House. She has prepared a petition, a copy of which she has sent to the wife of every member of the House of the fifty-sixth Congress, requesting that it be signed and returned to her. This petition reads as follows: "We, the wives of the members-elect of the incoming Congress, hereby urge our respective husbands in their official capacity, and the fifty-sixth Congress as an organized body, to expel from membership therein Brigham H. Roberts, of Utah. The spirit of our civilization and of our laws, as well as the dignity of American womanhood and the purity of the American home, demands that neither he, nor any such as he, shall ever take part in the councils of the law-makers of our beloved country."

COUNTY GOSSIP.

Mrs. Lizzie Stanley, of Northeast Harbor, picked a fall blown violet last week.

Bar Harbor's board of trade is now talking of a fire alarm system, and a fall fair at Robin Hood park.

A young lady writes to a Surry friend that she once asked her Sunday school class: "What two are mentioned in the bible who talked but never lied?" One of the class replied: "One was George Washington; and the other must have been Jesus."

"Our old tax-collector, Leroy Wardwell, is making quite a lively stir among delinquent tax-payers, as the long list of advertised estates indicates," writes our Penobscot correspondent, and then briefly sums up some of the causes of the popular habit of paying this year's taxes next year as follows: "First, laxity of collectors; second, a desire to get a little more interest on money loaned or employed; third, the habit of getting in debt; fourth, a shrinking from present liabilities; fifth, a sanguine view of life under difficulties from which arises the hope that we shall be a little better off next year than this. This includes three classes, the shrews, the procrastinators, and the unfortunate. The first can hardly be deemed model citizens, the second are to be deplored, the third pitied."

THE AMERICAN'S item in regard to H. A. Springer's aspiration to Franklin's future fish and game wardship brings to our West Franklin correspondent's mind the following facts: Several years ago Springer shot a nice deer in open time and on a week day. He attempted to ship it by boat to Boston—as any one should have the right in a land where liberty is not a bye word—when a Bar Harbor warden seized the deer on the pier it might have been shot on Sunday. The warden divided the venison among his friends. Springer brought an action to recover the price of his deer. His attorney, it is alleged, sold out to the deer warden, and Springer lost his case, lost his case and lost his faith in obtaining justice through law. Perhaps he has in his mind an easier way of obtaining venison than tramping the woods after it.

The Cracker-Box Philosopher.

Written for The American.

The woman who had come in to buy some raisins having gone out the philosopher lit his pipe and declared: That truth is as harmless as a daisy but it is stronger than a Bengal tiger.

That sum woman act as if they were born to wound and not to heal.

That a starvin' man never finds any fault with the embroidery on his napkin.

That the more brains a man has in his head, the more kneed that is ov' him in his heart.

That a raskal tryin' to pass himself off as an honest man is an instance of the devil tryin' to be respectable.

That duty is the substance of life; please only its shadow. Howsoever it is the shadow that most of us are chasin'.

That the records go to show that a liar was more tears shed at the grave of Lazarus than at the grave of Methuselah.

That a little cuss always thinks the higher you raise him; this explains why sum of our war heroes has disappeared the country.

That if a pore wash woman, who has to support herself and provide her intelligent and kapurbul husband with his whiskey and cloze, can give to God and humanity 10c. out of every dollar she earns how much owt a rich man to give?

That history goes to show that the smiles of woman air ov so irresistable a natur that state generals have bin subdued by um, statesmen made fules ov and bishops and preasts disrobed ov their sanctity. What chance then has the ordinary fule?

In some of the Swiss valleys the inhabitants are afflicted with golre or "tick neck". Instead of regarding this as a deformity they seem to think it a natural feature of physical development, and tourists passing through the valleys are sometimes jeered by the glib inhabitants, because they are without this of fensive swelling. This is a form of disease may become so common that it is regarded as a natural and necessary condition of life. It is so, to a large extent, with what are called diseases of women. Every woman suffers more or less from irregularity, ulceration, debilitating drains, or female weakness, and this suffering is so common and so universal that many women accept it as a condition natural and necessary to their sex. But it is a condition as unnatural as it is unnecessary. The use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription strengthens the delicate womanly organs and regulates the womanly functions, so that woman is practically delivered from the pain and misery which eat up ten years of her life—between the ages of fifteen and forty-five. "Favorite Prescription" makes weak women strong and sick women well.

Correspondence.

Americans Ill-Treated.

DRESDEN, GERMANY, Sept. 30, 1899.

To the Editor of The American:

It may be interesting to those contemplating residence in Germany for themselves or their children, for educational or other purposes, to know that the German papers are full of contemptuous allusions to America and Americans, in every possible connection, and have been so, not only since our declaration of war with Spain, but since the present high tariff set a barrier to the prosperity of so many German manufacturing industries, and especially those of the kingdom of Saxony. Hate and ridicule alternate in the columns of the daily papers; misinterpretation is as common as it is cruel and ungrounded. It is not pleasant to live among people who are jealous of our superiority while asserting their own, and it is not patriotic to put dollars in the pockets of those who daily decry our country and our fellow-countrymen. Our incompetent army, our ill-bred children, and our "fresh" young women are the most frequent topics; the venality of our judges, the frequency of lynchings and divorces, being the special meats in the dinner of slander.

To those whom patriotism cannot influence, it may be worth while to point out the almost utter absence of home comforts such as we understand them, and of proper sanitary appliances such as we demand; the meagreness of the fare, compared to American profusion, the annoyances of railway travel, the restrictions of the police, the lack of respect for women, the obstruction of conversational topics which at home are tabooed in ladies' society; the melancholy of the climate in winter, the lack of proper heating apparatus, the unwillingness to admit any ventilation whatever, and the restrictions on free speech, which visit any criticism of the kaiser's person, sayings or actions with imprisonment.

The city which has most to thank Americans for, and which, despite its many charms, deserves its popularity among Americans the least, because of the rapacious character of its merchants and the general unreliability of work-people, is Dresden. In this city overcharges to foreigners are the rule; bills are rendered for sums in excess of what are agreed upon, and often purchasers are sued in court for goods purchased over the counter or paid for at the door when sent "C. O. D."

I have visited many European cities and lived in several, but Dresden "takes the cake" for swindling foreigners.

Stuttgart lost her "foreign colony" by this practice; Dresden has dwindled to half (or less) what it was ten years ago. I hope to be able to reduce the number of Americans who are victimized in the "Elbe Florence."

VIATOR.

Schooner Wm. E. Downs at Bermuda.

The derelict schooner "Wm. E. Downs," from which Capt. A. T. Dyer, of Deer Isle, and his crew were rescued after spending four days in the rigging, was towed into Bermuda last Thursday by the British cruiser "Crescent." The "Downs" sailed from Savannah, Oct. 26, for New Haven and was abandoned Nov. 3.

The "Crescent" picked up the derelict and towed it until about 190 miles north of Bermuda, when the warship was compelled to abandon her owing to heavy weather. The "Crescent" left Bermuda Nov. 11 to search for the derelict.

Vessel Reported Bottom Up.

DEER ISLE, Nov. 16 (special)—Capt. Eaton, of schooner "A. F. Russell," Deer Isle, reports sighting a schooner of 250 tons, bottom up thirty-five miles southeast of Portland. Could make out nothing of the vessel's name. "S. C." Sails were gone and spars alongside. Nothing to indicate whether crew had been taken off.

Steamer "Frank Jones".

The steamer "Frank Jones" will be withdrawn from the Portland and Machiasport route for the season of 1899, making her last trip eastward, leaving Portland Friday, Dec. 22, and westward, leaving Machiasport Monday, Dec. 25. Service will be resumed in March, 1900.

Change in Postal Service.

Among changes in postal service recently announced are the following in Hancock county:

Route 1449. West Sullivan to Milbridge; leave West Sullivan daily except Sunday, 8:25 a. m.; leave Milbridge by 1:55 p. m.; leave Milbridge daily except Sunday, 8 a. m.; arrive at West Sullivan by 2:30 p. m.

Chamberlain's Pain Balm Cures Others. Why Not You?

My wife has been using Chamberlain's Pain Balm, with good results, for a lame shoulder that has pained her continually for nine years. We have tried all kinds of medicines and doctors without receiving any benefit from any of them. One day we saw an advertisement of this medicine and thought of trying it, which we did with the best of satisfaction. She has used only one bottle and her shoulder is almost well—ADOLPH L. MILLETT, Manchester, N. H. For sale by GEO. A. PARCHESTER, Ellsworth, and W. L. PARTRIDGE, Bluehill, druggists.

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EVENING SCHOOL!

I will begin an Evening School in LOWER HANCOCK HALL.

Monday Evening, Dec. 4, 1899, and continue as long as there is good attendance.

Terms will be given at first session. COME AND TRY ME.

W. H. DRESSER.

COUGHS CURED For a QUARTER BY USING PARCHESTER'S WHITE PINE AND TAR.

NO POLYGAMISTS IN CONGRESS.

Ellsworth's Protest Against Congressmen-Elect Roberts, of Utah.

The pastors of the Ellsworth churches united in a mass meeting at the Congregational church last Sunday evening, to register a protest against the seating by the U. S. House of Representatives of Brigham H. Roberts, the polygamist congressman-elect from Utah. The church was well filled.

Rev. J. P. Simonton, of the Methodist church, presided. After brief opening exercises, consisting of hymn by congregation, responsive reading, prayer by Rev. Henry Parsons, of the Free Baptist church of Hancock, singing by choir, Mr. Simonton introduced the subject of the meeting in a few forceful words.

The chairman then introduced Rev. A. H. Coar, of the Unitarian church, who spoke on "The Significance of the American Home." He pointed out the importance of the home as the foundation of the republic. His remarks paved the way for the speeches which followed.

Rev. C. S. McLearn, of the Baptist church, was the next speaker, and he gave a brief history of Mormonism, from its origin in 1823, step by step to its present position. Rev. H. A. Luckenbach, of the Free Baptist church, spoke of the "Political Power of Mormonism," and by quotations from prominent Mormons, showed that the saving of souls was not the greatest of Mormon ambitions.

Rev. J. M. Adams, of the Congregational church, then laid the case of Brigham H. Roberts, the congressman-elect from Utah, before the meeting. He said it was a direct blow at the home. He had nothing to say against the Mormon religion as a religion, but when it introduced social features which threatened the homes of the nation, he would do all in his power to prevent it.

He said polygamy and Mormonism were indissolubly associated, and proved it by quotations from leaders of the Mormon church. Brigham H. Roberts was a member of the convention which, as a condition to admission to the union of states, agreed to abolish polygamy. He had personally broken that covenant, and the attempt to send him to Congress now is an attempt to feel the temper of the American people. It was a test case; if successful, free rein would once more be given to polygamy.

Mr. Adams then presented the following resolutions, which were adopted separately by the meeting on motion of Mayor A. W. Greely:

To the Hon. Eugene Hale:

We, being representative citizens of Ellsworth, Me., and being assembled in public meeting at the same place, do hereby respectfully petition you to use your utmost influence to secure the adoption of an amendment to our national constitution, disqualifying polygamists for election as senators or representatives in Congress, and prohibiting polygamy within the United States and territories thereof.

Inasmuch as Utah, in electing as representative to Congress one who openly practices and defends polygamy, has dishonored the solemn covenant made with the nation as a condition of statehood, and has thereby invited a general repudiation of that covenant by its citizens, therefore, we, being representative citizens of Ellsworth, Me., and being assembled in public meeting at the same place, do, by vote of said meeting, hereby petition your honorable body to reject from your membership Congressmen-elect Brigham H. Roberts, of Utah.

We also petition you to take suitable steps toward securing the adoption of an amendment to our national constitution, disqualifying polygamists for election as senators and representatives in Congress, and prohibiting polygamy within the United States and territories thereof.

The petitions will be signed and forwarded to the representatives from this district in Senate and House.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

For Sale.

HOUSE—for sale or to rent lately occupied by Stephen B. Woodward. Will be sold cheap or rented low. Inquire of C. E. Woodward, Bangor, Me.

Special Notices.

NOTICE.

EVERY fall for the past several years I have notified the public generally, partridge and deer hunters, with or without dogs, particularly that I will liberally reward any person who will give information that will lead to the conviction of any person or persons violating the law of trespass, or any other code that it may be my privilege to enjoy as a property holder in the State. Three hundred dollars reward will be paid for the conviction of any one engaged in wood stealing, or wood smuggling, as it is called, and any person or persons purchasing wood stolen or smuggled from these several properties will be prosecuted for violation of statutes bearing upon receiving of stolen goods, as being accessory to the theft. Five hundred dollars will be paid as a reward for the conviction of any person or persons that maliciously set fire to any property owned by me. I emphatically give this warning that I will carry out the laws of the State of Maine and of the United States, so far as I have any right or premises in the case. Properties protected by this notice are: Old Peter Butler estate, lands formerly owned by the Merrick Thread Co., Eastman Hutchins, Mary Kern, James Laffin and the Westworth Point estate, all situated in Hancock and Franklin townships; lands in Lamorie formerly owned by E. H. Greely, L. Friend, A. P. Wiswell and L. A. Emery in common, also homestead lot of Gideon L. Joy.

\$500 REWARD

For the conviction and punishment of derelict game warden or wardens of Hancock—who permit the laws of the State of Maine to be violated.

I have forbidden trespassing on these premises, according to the laws of the State of Maine, and the statutes of the United States governing private property and public and private peace.

I now give notice to game wardens that they must make arrests in compliance with the laws.

I herewith notify all dealers that I will prosecute any one buying game shot on the Austin estate. By order of M. C. AUSTIN. North Hancock, Me., Nov. 1, 1899.

"SUPPRESS THE INSURRECTION"

Is what Senator Allison says—Then Establish Peace and Order.

In the current issue of *The Independent* Senator H. B. Allison, of Iowa, discusses the Philippine situation. "It does not seem to me," he says, "that there can be two sides to the question of what is our present duty in the Philippines. By our treaty with Spain and with the exchange of ratifications of the treaty, these islands became ours. Our title to them is clear and unquestionable under our constitution, and under the law and usages of nations."

"The insurrection there against our authority began after the treaty was signed at Paris, and continues to this time. Our duty requires us to suppress this insurrection, and to establish peace and order there. This, I understand, the President is endeavoring to do through the means given him by Congress before the close of the last session through the army bill, which provided for 100,000 men temporarily, with the understanding of all parties that this army would be used so far as necessary to suppress this insurrection."

"This duty was imperative upon the President, not by a partisan majority, but practically with unanimity by all parties in Congress, and a failure on his part to use this power to restore order there would subject him to the severest censure of Congress and the American people."

"With the restoration of peace and order there, I take it for granted that Congress will provide a government for the people of the islands in the spirit of liberty and justice and with a view to their highest possible civilization. Hereafter when possessions have been acquired by the United States, Congress dealt with the people residing in those territories in the spirit of liberty and justice which prevails in our constitution and in our laws; and I have no reason to believe or even to suspect that future Congresses will not make such rules and regulations for these inhabitants as will provide for them the largest measure of liberty possible for them, as well as the largest local participation in the government consistent with the situation there under our sovereignty and under our flag."

"So far as I can see, the only practical alternative to this is the abandonment of the islands, the withdrawal of our troops and the withdrawal of our navy as well. The President has no power to direct this, as he cannot alienate territory acquired; Congress can do so by law, and will soon be in session, and those who think we should surrender what we have gained there and withdraw our army and navy, will have an opportunity of testing the sense of Congress by offering propositions to that end."

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To Let.

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STORE—Rooms—first floor and basement—in Masonic block on State street, until recently occupied by the Hancock County Publishing Co. Inquire of JOHN B. REDMAN, agent, in same building.

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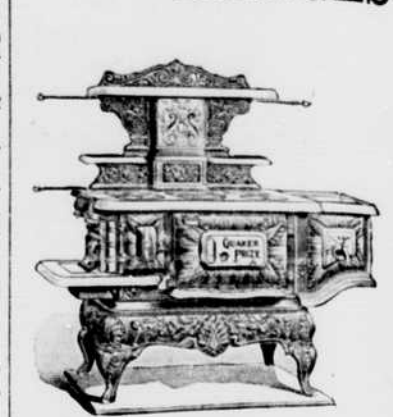
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THE AMERICAN prints more vital statistics—births, marriages and deaths—than all the other papers printed in the county combined, and most of them it prints from one to two weeks ahead of its contemporaries.

Legal Notices.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Harriet J. Simonton, late of Ellsworth, in the county of Hancock, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately. JOHN A. FERRIS, Jr., November 7, a. d. 1899.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Bladina E. Clark, late of Surry, in the county of Hancock, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately. JOHN A. FERRIS, Jr., November 7, a. d. 1899.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine, in bankruptcy.

In the matter of DANIEL H. HERLITY, In Bankruptcy.

To the creditors of Daniel H. Herlity of Eden, in the county of Hancock, and district of Maine, who has filed a petition in bankruptcy, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at No. 20 State street, in Ellsworth, Hancock county, Maine, on the 30 day of November, a. d. 1899, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

JOHN B. REDMAN, Referee in Bankruptcy. Nov. 13, 1899.

FORECLOSURE NOTICE.

STATE OF MAINE, HANCOCK SS.

To F. W. Chapman or whom it may concern.

WHEREAS F. W. Chapman on the 24th day of May, a. d. 1898, by his chattel mortgage of that date by him subscribed, mortgaged to me, the undersigned, Andrew W. Soper, of Orland, in said county, the following chattels, namely: all and singular the household goods, furniture, utensils, bedding, table ware and linen, pictures and all articles of a household furniture nature, now owned by me (F. W. Chapman), being in part now stored with said Soper and in part now mortgaged to me, the undersigned, Andrew W. Soper, in book 5, page 438; and whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken, and the mortgagee is out of the State of Maine, although resident therein, being at the date of said mortgage a resident of Ellsworth; now, therefore, notice is hereby given with my intention to foreclose said mortgage for breach of its condition.

ANDREW W. SOPER. Ellsworth, Maine, Nov. 17, 1899.

NOTICE.

FOR a valuable consideration to me paid, I hereby give notice that I have given to minor son, Percy C. Grover, his time until he is twenty-one years old, and will claim none of

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PROBATE COURT.

Proceedings at the November Term, Held at Ellsworth.

Wills admitted to probate: John Devine, Ellsworth; Addison C. Little, Bucksport; Roxana T. Goodwin, Lynn, Mass.

Wills presented for probate: Elbridge Bowden, Brooklin; George W. Bracy, Mt. Desert; James Emery, Edward P. Nichols, Bucksport; Ann Grant, Samuel K. Whitling, Ellsworth; William H. Walls, Trenton; Seth Webb, Deer Isle; Blanche Delphine Young, Bluehill; M. Carey Lea, Philadelphia, Pa.; Benjamin S. Merryman, New Haven, Conn.

Administration granted on estates of John H. Eldridge, Bucksport; Winfred R. Foss, Winter Harbor; Lemuel P. Hinkley, Bluehill; Harriet J. Simonton, Ellsworth; Leonard J. Thomas, Eden.

Special administration granted on estate of Edward P. Nichols, Bucksport.

Petitions filed for administration on estate of Sarah E. Closson, Castine; Lydia T. Holmes, Elizabeth Hooper, Ellsworth.

Guardians appointed unto Mary A. Clapp, minor, Tremont; Clara Emma, Phebe Gertrude and Gladys V. Eldridge, minors, Bucksport; Mary A. Nelson Allen and Louisa A. Pierce, minors, Tremont.

Inventories returned in estates of Sidney S. Hanna, Sullivan; Samuel Leland, Trenton; Mary Gorman, Almatia L. Lord, Ellsworth; Ruth Bartlett, Mount Desert; Alexander Plumer, Tremont; Woodman W. Newton, Bluehill; Albert H. Raymond T. Ethel F. Cecil N. and Florence E. Knowlton, minors, Stonington.

Affidavits of notice of appointment returned in estates of Stephen Homer, Bucksport; Samuel Leland, Trenton; Irving Bridges, Hancock; James S. Reynolds, Ellsworth.

Licenses for sale of real estate granted in estates of Charles D. Small, Sullivan; Gladys Bunker, minor, Sullivan; Frank Bernard Bowden, minor, Castine.

Petitions filed for license to sell real estate in estates of Mary Gorman, Ellsworth; Samuel Leland, Trenton; Albert H. Raymond T. Ethel F. Cecil N. and Florence E. Knowlton, minors, Stonington; Frances McGowan, minor, Ellsworth; Mary A. Nelson Allen and Louisa A. Pierce, minors, Tremont.

Petition for renewal of license to sell real estate filed in estate of George N. Black, Ellsworth.

Accounts settled in estates of Sarah E. Grant, Sullivan; Mercy Bartlett, Mount Desert; Martha J. Corliss, Ellsworth; Harriet N. Dodge, Bluehill; Emma J. Russ, Stonington; Miriam H. Perkins, Castine; Alice Gordon, a person of unsound mind, Sullivan.

Accounts filed for settlement in estates of Charles James, Almatia L. Lord, Ellsworth; David T. Patchin, Castine; Marietta Swazey, Bucksport; John Sargent, Gouldsboro; Josephine S. Hancock, minor, Bucksport; Susie E. Houston, minor, Tremont; Lavina Sanders, a person of unsound mind, Deer Isle.

Allowances out of personal estate granted to widow of Lois B. Torrey, Surry. Petition filed in estate of Richard C. Leach, Bucksport, for allowance to widow out of personal estate.

Warrant issued to commissioners to assign dower in estate of Mary A. Salisbury, Eden.

Petition filed by American Surety Co. (corporation), of New York, for discharge from further liability as surety on bond of executors of will of Mary G. Edwards, New York.

Report of commissioners to receive and examine claims against estate of John Harden, Eden, filed and accepted. Authority granted to Charles H. S. Webb, Stonington, to close affairs of the late partnership of Seth & C. H. S. Webb, Stonington.

Certification of sale of real estate filed in estate of Ebenezer Eldridge, Bucksport. Representation of insolvency filed in estate of Edward W. DeBeck, Waltham; warrant to commissioners issued.

Resignation of trustee under will of Ebenezer Eldridge, Bucksport, filed and accepted. Petition for new trustee filed and granted, bond filed and approved, letters issued. Resignation of guardian of Alice Gordon, a person of unsound mind, Sullivan, filed and accepted.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c—Advt.

MARINE LIST.

Ellsworth Port. SAILED. Thursday, Nov. 16. Sch. Henrietta A. Whitney, Woodward, Newark, staves and heads, C. J. Trowery.

Saturday, Nov. 18. Sch. Wesley Abbott, Pederson, Roundout, staves and heads, W. H. Rice, post, G. A. R. He leaves a wife and eight children: Mrs. George Thresh, of South Brewer; Mrs. Arvilla Boyce, of Haverhill, Mass.; Mrs. Lottie Knowles, of West Eden; Mrs. Addie Farrington, of Boston; Wesley J. Moore, of Norwiche, Conn.; Mrs. Maud DeWitt, of Brewer, and Mrs. Carrie Lynch, of North Ellsworth. The funeral was held Monday afternoon, Rev. C. S. McLearn officiating.

ArrIVED. Tuesday, Nov. 21. Sch. Nellie Grant, Dodge, Boston.

Sailed. Sch. Coquette, Trowery, Rockport, staves, Whitecomb, Haynes & Co. Sch. Ella, Ladora, Closson, Stonington, wood, H. B. Phillips.

Hancock County Ports. WEST SULLIVAN—At Nov. 14, sch. G. W. Collins, Johnson, Boston.

Sch. Nov. 14, sch. F. J. Fardon, G. Thompson, Goff, with curbstome from J. P. Gordon, for Philadelphia. Sch. Nov. 15, sch. Carrie Bell, with lumber from Maconboro, for Southport Harbor.

Sch. Nov. 17, sch. Willie L. Maxwell, Tinker, with curbstome from Frank Baisdel, for Washington, D. C. Sch. Nov. 18, sch. Mary Queen, Grant, with curbstome from J. P. Gordon, for Newburyport, Ct.

DOMESTIC PORTS. BOSTON—Sch. Nov. 19, sch. Westerlo, east. Sch. Nov. 16, sch. Simbur, Brunswick, Va, and New York. Sch. Nov. 16, sch. M. L. Burt, for New York. Sch. Nov. 17, sch. C. Morgan, Bangor; Susan N. Pickering, Ferdinandia.

Sch. Nov. 15, sch. A. H. Whitmore, Deer Isle. Sch. Nov. 16, sch. A. H. Whitmore, Deer Isle. Sch. Nov. 16, sch. Florence Leland, Spofford, New York.

PORTLAND—Sch. Nov. 16, sch. A. Peters, New York for Winter Harbor. HYANNIS—At Nov. 15, sch. M. A. Pope, New York for Bangor.

NEW YORK—At Nov. 17, sch. Jos. Eaton, Jr. Greenlaw, Rockland; E. G. Whilden, Bangor; J. F. Seavey, Kelley, and Carrie C. Pickering, Haskell, Stonington; J. B. Holden, Haskell, City Island.

Sch. Nov. 18, sch. Fred George, Sydney, C. B. Sch. Nov. 18, sch. Mary B. Wellington, Stonington.

Sch. Nov. 17, sch. Henry Crosby and Rabbott, Bangor. At Nov. 15, sch. Mary Augusta, Smith, from Providence; Glendy Burke, Shule, N. S.

PORTLAND—At Nov. 18, sch. Hattie A. Marsh, Somers Sound for Fardon G. Thompson, Goff, Franklin for Philadelphia; F. C. Holden, Tainter, Bangor for Newport.

NOVEMBER 17, sch. John Paul, Foss, San Juan, P. R. JACKSONVILLE—Sch. Nov. 14, sch. R. T. Rundlett, Founhall, New York.

PHILADELPHIA—At Nov. 18, sch. Alice R. Crabtree, Crabtree, Sullivan; Hattie H. Barbour, Erskine, Bangor.

Sch. Nov. 14, sch. Geo. Foss, Bangor. FLEET AMBROSE—Sch. Nov. 16, sch. Lizzie Lane, Closson, Fall River.

SALEM—Sch. Nov. 18, sch. Georgeletta, east. At Nov. 17, sch. M. C. Mosell, Somers Sound for New York. Stephen Bennett, Somers Sound for Philadelphia.

At Nov. 15, sch. Mary F. Cushman, from Calais for Nantucket. FOREIGN PORTS. GIBRALTAR—At Nov. 18, sch. Jessie Lena, Snow, Brunswick.

SANTOS—At Oct. 15, bark Penobscot, Leland, Rosario.

MOUTH OF THE RIVER.

School closed Friday. Miss Lucy Moore has taught during the term. The following programme was presented at close of school: Recitations, Hazel Holt, Harry Murch, Alida Smith; composition, Vera Pratt; recitations, Mina Ray, Lucy Holt, Clarence Alley; singing, Vera Pratt; composition, Alice Wilson; recitations, Marietta Smith, Roy Ray, Alice Wilson; composition, Vina Ray; recitations, Vera Pratt, Melissa Smith, Irving Closson; singing, seven pupils; recitations, May Wilson, Roy and Mina Ray, Wallace Hodgkins, Vina Ray, Freeman Closson; story, Alma Wilson; story, Alida Smith; valedictory, Vina Ray. Pupils not absent one-half day were Melissa, Marietta and Alida Smith, Freeman, Irving and Eva Closson, Mina and Roy Ray, Clarence Alley, Lucy Holt, Vera Pratt.

Nov. 20. VICTOR.

The conditions of life among the mill workers in New England cities is the subject of a striking series of articles to begin in next Sunday's Boston Journal. These conditions furnish topics for discussion frequently at times of strikes, when the problem of southern competition comes up, and, in general, by the social reformers. The Boston Sunday Journal, in order to investigate the subject in a practical way, sent J. O. Fagan, a conservative man and a strong writer, to live among the people as one of them for a number of weeks. These articles are the fruits of his experiences there.

BORN.

CAMPBELL—At Stonington, Nov. 6, to Mr and Mrs. Harry Campbell, a son.

CARTER—At Bluehill, Nov. 19, to Mr and Mrs. Richard A. Carter, a daughter.

HENDERICK—At Little Deer Isle, Nov. 6, to Mr and Mrs. William G. Hendrick, a daughter. [Joie A.]

KANE—At Surry, Nov. 13, to Mr and Mrs. J. Kane, a daughter.

MONOHAN—At Ellsworth, Nov. 20, to Mr and Mrs. Charles E. Monohan, a son.

MARRIED.

BICKFORD—HANNA—At Winter Harbor, Nov. 14, by F. R. Bunker, esq. Miss Jessie E. Bickford to Calvin M. Hanna, Jr., both of Winter Harbor.

DANIELS—SMITH—At Ellsworth Falls, Nov. 11, by Freeman E. Wass, esq. of Jonesport, Miss. Inez E. Daniels, of Ellsworth, to William C. Smith, of Jonesport.

GARLAND—TRULL—At East Hampton, N. Y., Nov. 13, by Rev. James Leggett, Miss Flora M. Garland, of Ellsworth, to Frank B. Trull, of Lawrence, Mass.

HAYWOOD—HARRIS—At Bar Harbor, Nov. 14, by Rev. Wm. Osborne Baker, Miss. Alton Haywood to James Harris, both of Bar Harbor.

PERRY—HUNTON—At Gouldsboro, Nov. 14, by Aaron S. Rolfe, esq. Miss Mary E. Perry, of Ellsworth, to Arthur H. Hunton, of Gouldsboro.

SMITH—STINSON—At Deer Isle, Nov. 19, by Rev. W. M. Chapin, Miss. Fannie Mabel Smith, of Deer Isle, to Lyman E. Stinson, of Stonington.

WILLARD—ROYAL—At Ellsworth, Nov. 15, by Rev. C. S. McLearn, Mrs. Ellen F. Willard to Clifford G. Royal, both of Ellsworth.

DIED.

BLACK—At Little Deer Isle, Nov. 18, Mrs. Lucella Black, aged 74 years.

DEVEREUX—At Penobscot, Nov. 14, Mrs. Ursula Devereux, aged 82 years.

HARRIMAN—At Bar Harbor, Nov. 19, Frederick A. Harriman, aged 46 years, 8 months, 14 days.

MARTIN—At Hancock, Nov. 20, Mrs. Sophia Martin, aged 83 years, 3 months.

MOORE—At North Ellsworth, Nov. 18, James M. Moore, aged 21 years.

PIPER—At Ripley, Nov. 20, Frank M. Piper, of Franklin, aged 28 years.

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Hood's Pills cure liver ills; the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

New Hancock County Postmaster. George A. Sprague has been appointed postmaster at Swan's Island.

Used by British Soldiers in Africa. Capt. C. G. Dennison is well known all over Africa as commander of the forces that captured the famous rebel Galishe.

Under date of Nov. 4, 1897, from Vryburg, Bechuanaland, he writes: "Before starting on the last campaign I bought a quantity of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which I used myself when troubled with bowel complaint, and had given to my men, and in every case it proved most beneficial." For sale by GEO. A. PARCHER, Ellsworth, and W. I. PARTRIDGE, Bluehill, druggists.

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CHRISTMAS GREETING!

C. R. FOSTER desires to extend the compliments of the season to his numerous friends, patrons and the public generally, and to ask, if you intend buying a

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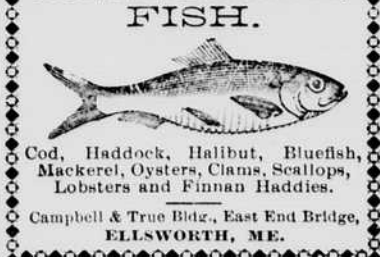
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BAR HARBOR	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Sorrento	10 25	3 25		
Sullivan		4 25		
Mt. Desert Ferry	11 15	4 55	8 30	
Waukeag, S. Fy	11 22	5 02	8 37	
Hancock	11 26	5 05	8 40	
Franklin Road	11 35	5 14	8 50	
Washington Co. Jc.	11 45	5 24	9 50	6 00
ELLSWORTH	11 53	5 31	9 58	6 08
Ellsworth Falls	11 58	5 37	10 03	6 13
Nicolin	12 12	5 51	10 17	6 27
Green Lake	12 22	6 01	10 27	6 37
Lake House	12 31	6 11	10 36	6 46
Holden	12 38	6 20	10 42	6 53
Brewer Junction	12 58	6 45	11 02	7 13
Bangor, Ex. St.	1 05	6 50	11 12	7 20
BANGOR, M. C.	1 30	6 55	11 15	7 35
Portland	5 35	1 30	3 50	1 30
Boston	9 05	5 57	7 25	5 57

BANGOR TO BAR HARBOR.

Boston	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Portland	7 00	9 00		7 00
ELLSWORTH	11 00	12 35		11 00
BANGOR	6 00	4 55	9 30	6 00
Bangor, Ex. St.	6 03	4 58	9 35	6 03
Brewer Junction	6 12	5 02	9 42	6 12
Holden	6 19	5 10	9 49	6 19
Lake House	6 29	5 20	9 59	6 29
Green Lake	6 39	5 31	10 09	6 39
Nicolin	6 49	5 41	10 19	6 49
Ellsworth Falls	6 59	5 51	10 29	6 59
ELLSWORTH	7 12	6 05	10 42	7 12
Washington Co. Jc.	7 25	6 20	10 55	7 25
Hancock	7 39	6 29	11 07	
Franklin Road	7 49	6 39	11 17	
Waukeag, S. Fy	7 53	6 43	11 22	
Mt. Desert Ferry	8 00	6 50	11 30	
Sullivan	8 20	6 55	11 35	
Sorrento	8 30	7 05	11 45	
BAR HARBOR	9 30	7 35	12 30	

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Seal Harbor & Boston	" 3.50 2.80
Northeast Harbor & Boston	" 3.50 2.80
Southwest Harbor & Boston	" 3.75 2.75
Stonington & Boston	" 3.00 2.25

The price of rooms, accommodating two persons each, will be reduced from \$2.00 and \$1.50 to \$1.50 and \$1.00 each.

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COUNTY NEWS.

For Additional County News, see other pages.

Atlantic.
Mrs. V. E. Pierce, of Rockland, is visiting friends here at her former home.

Albert Bates has just finished painting the Bates parsonage.

Capt. S. J. Joyce is having a building erected. J. F. Torrey is to do the carpenter work.

Quite a number from this place attended the supper and social at Epworth League hall Thursday evening.

Many needed repairs are being made on Rose Hill cemetery by the public-spirited citizens of this village.

Alfred Joyce and wife left Tuesday for Mansfield, Mass., where they will be employed during the winter.

The writer recently received some beautiful views of Spokane Falls, Wash., and vicinity, from Daniel McKay, of this town, who, with his wife, is employed there.

Mrs. Ellen Staples returned Friday from quite an extended visit to relatives at Gouldsboro and Southwest Harbor. She is now stopping with Mrs. A. M. Newman.

Nov. 17.
North Lambton.
Lella Richardson has gone to North Penobscot to teach.

Mrs. Abbie Austin returned last week from visiting friends in Castine.

There will be a concert Thanksgiving night at the church; if stormy, following Sunday.

Miss Lillie McFarland has gone to Washington where she expects to spend the winter.

Mrs. Alma Coggins and daughter Sadie have returned from a visit to relatives at Southwest Harbor.

Two deer have been shot here the past week, one by Melvin McFarland, of Boston, the other by Jordan Holt.

Miss Gertrude Bragdon has gone to Boston. Her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Bragdon, is visiting relatives in Eastbrook.

Melvin McFarland returns to his employment in Boston this week. His many friends are pleased to learn that his wife, who has had a protracted and critical illness since early summer, is able to accompany him.

Nov. 20.
South Hancock.
Miss Mabel Allen is teaching in South Gouldsboro.

Harvey Phillips has gone to Portland to attend commercial college.

Mrs. Ruth Smith and son Mark are in town visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Georgie Ball has gone to Southwest Harbor, to spend the winter with her aunt, Mrs. Arvilla Clark.

Harvey Coggins and George Phillips returned Saturday from Charleston, where they have been attending school.

Miss Marcia C. Young left last Friday for Lancaster, Mass., where she will teach in the state industrial school.

Frank Staples and wife have gone to Belfast to spend the winter. Mr. Staples will be away from his shop until after Jan. 1.

Mrs. Amelia McFarland, with her daughter Grace, has gone to Lincoln to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Ney Killman.

Nov. 20.
South Deer Isle.
Pigs are fast finding their way to the pork barrel.

There were no services in the church Sunday on account of the storm.

Gustavus Mitchell came home last week from Waldoboro, where he has been at work.

Nov. 20.
Ego.

Medical.

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Southwest Harbor.
Stephen Harman, who has found employment in a canning factory at Eastport for several weeks, has returned home.

Robert Ash, who has had good success in running a repair shop for shoes and harnesses at the Quarry, last week moved to that place.

Miss Nellie Carroll has been at home for a week's vacation from the Liberty high school, of which she is principal for the second year.

Capt. Thomas Milan, first lightkeeper of Mt. Desert Rock station, will, owing to his impaired health, make an extended stay here, a probable paralysis of his legs is the chief trouble.

James Crockett, who has been employed with his team at Hall Quarry for several months, is fitting up a habitation there that his wife may have comfortable quarters during the winter. They will spend Sunday at their home here.

Miss Lucy Harman has been visiting her parents and sister here for a month or more, but will soon return to Massachusetts, where she has a lucrative position.

The graded school in this part of the town opens Monday, Nov. 20. As no new cases of scarlatina have developed for several weeks it is hoped that all danger of contagion is over. Miss Lulu Mayo will still continue to instruct the primary pupils but Miss Nellie Spurling, the past teacher of the grammar school, is to be otherwise engaged, and thus far only guesses as to her successor have been the rule.

Noting the various records of late-blooming flowers I will add my item to the list. On November 15, I received from Mrs. A. W. Bee a large box of the loveliest pansy blooms freshly picked that morning, with generous branches of foliage—twenty-five or thirty blossoms with as many opening buds, a sight to delight the heart of any flower lover. The brilliant little faces smile at me to-day, Nov. 20, as perfectly fresh as when first received, with new additions daily to the fragrant group. Mr. and Mrs. Bee, after their return from Bar Harbor, spent two or three weeks at Sleepy Hollow cottage, leaving for their Massachusetts home Nov. 16.

Evangelist, M. W. Plummer will close a two weeks series of meetings here on Wednesday evening, leaving on Thursday for another field. The sermons and lectures have been of deep interest to all who have had the privilege of hearing him, and though the attendance of non-churchgoers has been rather disheartening, it has been a season of refreshment to the earnest seekers after spiritual knowledge. If we ask, "where are the knaves?" we find that a large proportion of the male population is at a lodge meeting of some sort nearly every night; when it is not lodge night at home, a visit to a neighboring lodge is in order. Still there has been a marked increase in the audiences.

Nov. 20.
SPRAY.
Coke River.
Miss Alice Black left home to-day for Portland.

Some of the schools closed earlier than expected because of chicken pox, which is prevalent.

Mrs. Minnie Clifford, with two children, of South, is visiting her parents, Capt. V. H. Black and wife.

Mrs. Anne Grindle, of North Brooksville, with her two children, is visiting her parents, C. H. Blake and wife.

Mrs. M. A. Blake has closed her house and took steamer "Climax" for Bangor. She has just completed Fesc. XIII, of P. B. A. for Collins, Holden & Getchell. This phytotheca of the Algae of N. Am. goes to schools and colleges throughout the United States, and several copies to Germany.

Nov. 20.
B.
Gouldsboro.
The hunters took advantage of the first snow. Five deer were killed Monday.

School at No. 8 begins to-day, with Miss Annie Ray, of West Harrington, as teacher.

Mrs. Eliza Meserve, of Otisfield, is expected to-day for a visit to relatives and friends here.

There was a quiet wedding at the home of A. S. Roffe Tuesday evening, when Arthur Hutton, of this place, and Miss Mary Perry, of Prince Edward Island, were married.

Nov. 20.
JEN.
Penobscot.
The schools will open Monday for the winter term.

Rev. Mr. Carter, of Orland, preached at the Methodist church Nov. 12.

A great deal of hunting has been done since the snowstorm, and a few deer have been shot.

Mrs. Irene Haynes is gradually recovering from the shock of paralysis she had some three weeks ago.

The popular amateur company, which styles itself "Aunt Abbie's Seconds," is meeting with splendid success in its entertainments.

Samuel Leach has secured a lucrative position as traveling agent for Richardson & Co., book concern, of Springfield, Mass. He will canvass the eastern section of the State.

A small stock of groceries has been put into the store at North Penobscot, kept by Mrs. R. E. Grindle. Mrs. Grindle is proving an efficient and obliging postmistress.

An exhibition of the phonograph was given at the hall last Thursday evening. On the same evening a lecture by the blind preacher on "Success or Failure"

Don't Tobacco and Smoke Your Life Away. To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address: Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

ure," was delivered in the Grange hall, Penobscot, to a good-sized audience.

The first snowstorm of the season was a terror in this section. A fall of ten inches with the usual accompaniments of a first-class snowstorm as a starter, so early in the season, has no record in the memory of the oldest inhabitant. The "cross-roads" were filled with substantial snow, and a large amount of shoveling had to be done to clear the roads for travel.

Whoever will will be cordially welcomed to come into Penobscot and start business. With good water power, with plenty of splendid granite, and abundance of lumber, and soon we hope a good water-way to the ocean, and intelligent and appreciative people, this town eloquently appeals to outside capital.

An able individual was met Saturday plodding through the snow carrying on his shoulders four pairs of rubbers and a heavy assortment of groceries. Considering that he was to convey this burden from the seat of Penobscot to the threshold of Surry, a distance of seven miles, the circumstance carries us back in imagination to the sturdy old times when our fathers deemed it no hardship to carry a bag of meal on their shoulders through the woods from the head of Northern bay to their homes at North Penobscot.

Nov. 20.
H.
Northbrook.
Mrs. A. C. Savage went to Boston last week on a visit.

C. A. Kimball left last week for Boston, to spend the winter.

O. M. Ober has the lumber for a new stable to be built soon.

Mrs. Ada Bartlett has gone to house-keeping in rooms over the postoffice.

William Manchester's wife and daughter are visiting her parents in Ireland.

Charles Frazier has just completed a large carriage house in the rear of his stable.

George Johnson is thinking of spending the winter in his native country, Norway.

Helon Smallidge, of Lawrence, Mass., spent last week here with his mother and brothers.

C. A. Trask is doing the plumbing on the dye cottage. S. R. Tracy is doing the painting.

Mrs. Eri Bunker has moved her dress-making shop to make room to build a cottage this winter.

Capt. John Whitmore has bought a small coar and has gone to Gloucester, Mass., with a load of fish.

Lumber has arrived for Ansel Manchester's new cottage to be built at Indian Head. Daniel Manchester, contractor.

Schools commence to-day. The grammar is taught by Miss Helena Wright, this being her third term here. Miss Ida Spurling will teach the primary.

Mr. Jordan has resigned as keeper of Bear Island lighthouse, and has moved to his new cottage on Central street. L. F. Sawyer, of Egg Rock, has been appointed in his place.

M. E. Frost and Ralph Hamor returned from their hunting trip with two deer each. Another party from here is up near Mt. Katahdin, and is expected home the middle of the week.

Nov. 20.
J. A. P.
Whiting.
School closed in district No. 2 Friday.

Raymond Haslem shot a blue deer Monday.

The circle met with Mrs. George Stanley Thursday.

Mrs. Corlies Curtis and Miss Sadie Jordan were in town Friday.

E. F. Jordan has gone to Trenton with a crew to begin winter operations.

Charles Martin and wife have returned home from Ellsworth after an absence of several months.

Mrs. Lulu Green and Miss Lizzie Grindle, of Bluehill, visited their brother, Thomas Grindle, recently.

Mrs. Henry Graves, of Ellsworth, is visiting her parents, Porter Jordan and wife, previous to moving to Bangor.

The chief attraction at the dance Thanksgiving night will be the drawing of the autograph quilt with over 400 names.

Nov. 20.
H.
Gouldsboro.
Mrs. John Williams entertained the sewing society on Wednesday.

Marben, little daughter of N. R. Collier, is very ill with throat trouble.

H. L. Rowe, of Aurora, moved a crew into the woods at Middle Branch pond Wednesday.

Mr. Gould, of Lowell, Mass., is hunting in this vicinity, with H. Lord as guide. He got a fine deer one day this week.

Word has been received that George Collier, who has been working in Beachmont, Mass., for several weeks, has been engaged to marry. He is the first of our young men to enlist. His friends wish him all sorts of good luck.

Nov. 19.
FLOESIE.
Stonington.
Roy A. Kane left Thursday for Palermo, where he is to teach a high school.

Miss Florence Holden, who has been attending school in Portland, returned home Saturday.

Samuel Tainter and family left Thursday for Beverly, Mass., where they are to spend the winter.

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Many people died of this la grippe during this epidemic, and few if any, were sick so short a time as myself and family. After we were all well we had one bottle of Pe-runa left.

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Bar Harbor.
MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS
adopted by Bar Harbor lodge, No. 185, F. and A. M., at a meeting Nov. 16, 1899.

Again we have been called to bow in submission to the will of the Divine Master in calling from the subordinate lodge below to the celestial lodge above our most worthy and esteemed brother, Danforth Pond Marvée.

The familiar form, which for so many years we have seen among us, has gone, and we shall no longer behold him here. His voice is hushed on earth forever, and the kindly greetings we have so many times received from our brother, we shall no more hear from him, until we too shall have answered the summons, and are gathered to that land where our fathers have gone before.

It is with sorrow and sadness of heart that we record the loss of our departed brother. The cords which bound us together to brotherly love have been snapped asunder and one who was endeared to the whole fraternity by the most sacred ties has been taken away. Our lodge has lost one of its most worthy and honored members, for whom we deeply and sincerely mourn. May we have learned some lessons from the noble life and character of our brother, that shall make us worthy the respect shown for him.

The community has lost an honored and respected citizen, one for whom the highest respect has been shown, and of whom it is said by men in the various walks of life, he was a good man.

His immediate family has been bereft of a true and faithful husband and a kind and loving father, and to them and especially to his widow our sincere and heartfelt sympathies are extended. And it is therefore

Resolved, That in token of our esteem and respect for our deceased brother, the charter and regalia of our lodge be draped in mourning for the space of thirty days, that these resolutions be entered upon our lodge records, a copy sent to the family of the deceased, and that copies be sent to the Bar Harbor Record and Ellsworth American for publication.

CHARLES E. FAIRBANKS,
H. E. WAREFIELD,
ANNIE B. LELAND,
Committee on Resolutions.

Stonington.
W. C. L. U. held a sociable in Lufkin's hall Friday evening.

George W. Redman will move into his new home this week.

Stone large "Marjory" has been hauled into winter quarters.

Frank Tuttle has moved his stock of goods into the drug store.

Steamer "John Wise", Capt. Geyer, stone-dresser, left for Boston Sunday.

Dr. Chamberlain lost a horse Sunday. The animal fell in its stall and broke a leg.

Mrs. Scott Geyer, who has been visiting her sister at Orono, Neb., arrived home Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Folsom intend to get up a grand cantata for Christmas, to be given in the opera house.

Miss Gertrude Gross came from Winter Harbor Thursday. She will teach the winter term of school at West Stonington.

Mont Annis has purchased the tin-smith tools belonging to the late John Woodbury and will continue business at the old stand.

Nov. 20.
EUGENE.
North Brooksville.
Curtis Lurgin returned from Boston Saturday.

Eugene Lyburner had a finger injured badly while working at Islesboro.

Frank Gray has gone to Brockton for a short stay. Fred Wesel has charge of his butcher shop in his absence.

Nov. 20.
C.
East Lambton.
Miss Ruby Hodgkins has gone to Bar Harbor for a short visit.

Miss Alice Abbott and Miss Dorothy French leave for Boston this morning.

Mrs. Sarah Springer went to Bangor Thursday to spend the winter with her son Harry.

Nov. 20.
H.
Stonington.
"Cure the cough and save the life." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs and colds, down to the very verge of consumption.—Adet.

COUNTY NEWS.

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West Sullivan.
Fred White and wife have a new girl baby.

Mrs. William Moore and son Ralph are visiting in town.

S. J. Mitchell will work his teams in the woods this winter.

Walter Estabrook has moved to his home in East Sullivan.

Mrs. Almira Curtis is visiting her parents, William White and wife.

The Dewey literary club accepted seven new members Thursday night.

B. B. Hovey is in New York on business relating to the schooner "Mary C. Stuart".

H. H. Hovey and W. B. Mattocks witnessed the football game in Bangor Saturday.

Visitors will be cheap when George Crimmin and his party get home from Bull hill.

Harvey L. Murch, M. L. Gordon and Mrs. W. L. McKusick have moved their families to Bar Harbor.

The new Pythian hall is nearly completed. The building will cost over \$4,000 and is one of the prettiest in town.

More than fifty West Sullivan stone workers are at work at Bar Harbor and other places. This makes business unusually quiet here.

Sherman Libby and Edward Gay started for Old Town with their teams and twenty men last Monday. They will be employed in the woods in that vicinity.

George Watson has a yearling heifer that had become so wild that she could not be caught. She had remained in the pasture up to last Friday, when a volunteer crew of twenty of Mr. Watson's fellow stone cutters captured the creature after a hard day's chase.

Nov. 20.
G.
West Brooksville.
The old Davis house on the shore road is being torn down.

Rev. J. S. Richards exchanged pulpits with Rev. Mr. Worthley, of Brooksville, yesterday.

John S. Tapley and Cecil Farnham, students, are at home from the Higginson institute, Charleston, for a few weeks.

Mrs. George H. Tapley, who has been in Massachusetts the past two months, came to Rockland last Saturday. She will not be at home until after the Christmas holidays.

Steamer "Majorie" has gone into winter quarters at Dodge's wharf. Captain and Engineer Adey will reside in town this winter. Their families are already here. The "Majorie" has done a good season's work, and will be on the route again when the Penobscot opens in the spring.

When coming up the coast on his last trip, while clearing away the cable chain, Rob Ellis Tapley had a scale from the chain enter his right eye. After being at home a few days inflammation set in and the eye became very painful. Last Monday he went to Boston and entered the Massachusetts hospital for treatment.

Nov. 20.
TOMSON.
Surry.
Several deer were shot in the Surry woods last week.

A little daughter found her way to the home of Capt. Newell Kane Monday.

J. M. Ray received the first lot of goods for his new store by Saturday's boat.

Miss Nellie Allen, who has just recovered from a painful illness, has resumed her position as teacher of the North Bend school.

Fire caught on the roof of the postoffice early Friday morning, but was fortunately discovered and extinguished before doing serious damage.

Capt. H. C. Young, of the schooner "Franconia", with Mate Green Sinclair and Cook Harry Wood, has been at home a few days. They will sail from Ellsworth for Bangor with staves the first of this week. Frank Jordan will go this trip.

Nov. 20.
G.
La Motte.
Miss Marcia King is enjoying a vacation from her school labors at Lubec.

Miss Ethel Reynolds visited her cousin, Miss Clara Hodgkins, in Ellsworth last week.

Miss Gertrude Hatchings returned to Prospect Harbor Saturday, to teach her second term of school there.

In speaking of the relatives of the late Josiah Coolidge, in last week's issue of this paper, through somebody's oversight no mention was made of Newell B. Coolidge, the brother of the deceased, and the only

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COUNTY NEWS.

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East Harbor.

Arthur Mead has been out all in Frost.

Howard Churchill returned from Red-wick last week.

Miss Bertha Dyer is working at Mrs. Drueille's.

Samuel Mason is much improved, but is not yet able to get out.

Arthur Dyer is at home, having finished working at Oak Point.

Howard Dyer is making repairs on his house. Henry Dyer is doing the carpenter work and Sydney Gray the masonry.

Miss Belle Cottle and Marie Witham, of Ellsworth Falls, were the guests of Misses Bertha Mason and Bertha Dyer last week.

Dr. Wheeler, of Castine, has brought a plane of land on the shore of Craig's pond, of Mrs. Samuel P. Perry. He intends to erect a cottage for his own use at once.

Nov. 20. M.

Lakewood.

A pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Webster Higgins, at Lakewood Saturday evening, Nov. 11, at 8 o'clock, when Miss Lucie Eugene Daniels, daughter of Mrs. Higgins, was

married to William Smith, of Jonesport.

The ceremony was performed by Freeman K. West, son of Jonesport, in the presence of a few friends. The bride was beautifully attired in a dress of pale gray, with trimmings of white silk. The bride is well-known and much respected in Ellsworth. Mr. Smith is an enterprising young man and has many warm friends. Mr. and Mrs. Smith will spend a week with friends at Seal Harbor, then Mr. Smith's work will take him south for the winter. Mrs. Smith will stay with her mother during the winter. Their many friends wish them a long life of happiness.

Nov. 12. N. T. N.

Ashville.

Edward Smith has returned to Orono to school.

School commenced this morning; A. L. Young, teacher.

R. M. Orcutt and James Pettie are working for G. H. Hanna.

Schooner "Hosan Frances" arrived from Portland last week with freight.

W. H. Hall will spend the winter with his daughter, Mrs. E. E. Hammonds.

Julia Bunker left Sunday for Chelsea, Mass., where she will visit relatives a few days.

Hiram Preble and wife welcomed the eleventh child—a boy—to their family circle this week.

Alfred Hackett, of East Sullivan, had a snap shot taken of his old horse "Dollie" before taking him up to Hiram Preble's to be killed.

Nov. 20. M.K.B.

Eastport.

Dr. H. H. DeBeck, of Winn, made a short call in town last week.

Guy Butler and wife made a short visit to relatives in North Lamolne last week.

Mary DeMyer has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Lizzie Bragdon, of Lamolne, the last week.

A large crew under Gay and Libby, of North Sullivan, passed through here last week to work in the woods.

William Lawrie, of North Sullivan, and Walter Lawrie, of North Ellsworth, were here to attend the funeral of their sister Rose, who died suddenly last Sunday.

A housewarming was held at Charles Piper's last Saturday evening as he has just moved into his house after thoroughly repairing both inside and outside.

Nov. 20. B.

Dedham.

H. P. Burrill is in Boston on business.

Mrs. Aris Burrill is visiting relatives in Brewer.

Mrs. Otis Bates has moved to her new home in Hades.

Mrs. Vesta Burrill is visiting her brother, Alfred Condon.

Willard Leach and wife have gone to Everett, Mass., for a visit.

Miss Carrie Johnston is finishing the school which Mrs. Leach left owing to illness.

Nov. 20. B.

COUNTY NEWS.

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South Gouldsboro.

Mrs. Esther Fox, of Winter Harbor, is visiting relatives here.

C. T. Hooper moved his family home from Winter Harbor Saturday.

School commenced Monday taught by Mabel Allen, of Hancock Point.

E. C. Bergant and wife have moved from Iron Bound lake to their cottage here.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hamilton, of Prospect Harbor, is visiting her son Fred here.

Miss Lucy Bunker returned to West Gouldsboro Monday to resume her teaching, after a vacation of two weeks.

The U. E. rally was held here Saturday afternoon and evening. Large delegations were present from each society. The afternoon session was conducted by Rev. Mr. Pinkerton. A basket supper was partaken of at 5. In the evening there was a praise service followed by exercises by the children and a social service. An able sermon was delivered by Rev. Mr. Westcott, of Winter Harbor.

Nov. 20. S. M. S.

Salisbury Cove.

Olen Loomis is confined to his home by illness.

F. W. Gray has been at Orrington for the past week.

N. Bowden and wife are at Bar Harbor for the winter.

Mrs. Young entertains the mission circle Saturday evening.

G. Arthur Loomis returned Saturday from a business trip to Rockland.

Mrs. E. A. Emery returned Sunday to her home from Mrs. P. H. Young's, where she has been for a few weeks.

Miss Maude Leand returned Saturday from Ellsworth, where she has spent the past three weeks visiting relatives.

Miss Fossil Young, who has been at Sullivan Harbor for the past three weeks visiting friends, returned home Saturday.

Nov. 20. R.

Orland.

Miss Hazel Gray has been confined to the house a few days.

Homer Hutchings has just recovered from an attack of measles.

Miss Elizabeth Whitely, of Hampden, is the guest of Miss Eliza Kimball.

Richard, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bernard, who has been very ill, is improving.

Nov. 20. G.

Backsboro.

Fred A. Harriman, a native and resident of this place, died at Bar Harbor Monday, aged forty-six years, of consumption. He leaves a widow and two small children. He was a member of the A. O. U. W. and Fort Knox lodge, I. O. O. F., and the Knights of Pythias of Bar Harbor.

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Prospect.

Mrs. Edith Voss and Mrs. Cassie Barker are at Bar Harbor.

Sherman S. Hammond is at home from Harrington for a short vacation.

C. E. Jewell has made much-needed repairs on the furnace at the Methodist church.

Macomber Bros. recently lost another of their mill team horses, the animal with a few years.

Mrs. Rebecca Dean, of East Sullivan, visited her daughter, Mrs. Rhonda Thompson, last week.

The series of meetings being held at the Methodist church will continue during the present week.

Miss Louise Hawkins commenced the winter term of primary school in district No. 1 last Monday.

Mrs. Lizzie Gordon left for Waltham, Mass., last Wednesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Grace Wheeler.

Deborah Hamdell, Russell Hamdell and Ray Jewell returned from Elm's Hill this week to spend their vacation.

Mrs. Carrie Macomber and daughter Helen returned from Penobscot Saturday, after a stay of several weeks.

Mrs. Harry Macomber and two children came from Seal Quarry last week to visit friends here and at Ellsworth.

Miss Maria Barker, who has spent a three weeks vacation at home, returns to Prospect Harbor this week for another term.

Dwight McLaughlin, a volunteer in the regular army, who has been stationed in Arizona and Cuba for nearly four years, is at the home of the parents here.

Mrs. Mary Perry and daughter, of Prospect Harbor, spent a few days with friends here prior to leaving for Everett, Mass., where they join Mr. Perry for the winter.

Misses, Edmund, Burke, Francis and Albert brought in three deer Saturday from Narragansett region. They followed the trail of three bears, but failed to locate them. Fred Barker and other hunters were out, and tracked five different trails that ended there.

Nov. 20. B.

West Franklin.

The Franklins had an initiation and supper Saturday night.

Hal Clark shot a nice buck Monday.

It was a good one, so that your correspondent can testify.

One of the sections lands on the W. C. R. R. came near being run over by a big truck while coming to his home Saturday night.

A big bear has been prowling around here of late. For thirteen years in succession this or some other bear has spotted a pine tree near Clear Haythe ridge.

A little West Franklin man of three years, whose mother was dressing some chickens, was asked if mamma had them dressed. "No," she quickly replied, "she has them undressed."

The report of the loss of Capt. A. T. Dyer's vessel of Hatteras, proves to be Capt. A. P. Dyer, of West Franklin. Capt. Dyer is in Boston, and it is understood he is to have another vessel.

A large cow moose was seen by Eastman Hutchins last week a mile west of here. The moose crossed the railroad twice, the last time going north. If Commissioner Carleton wants that moose he had better have a game warden appointed.

Nov. 20. CH'FER.

West Tremont.

Mrs. M. L. Dix entertained quite a party from Frenchboro Saturday night.

Capt. R. B. Dix, schooner "Hyena", called in home on his way to New Bedford.

W. A. Clark, who has been at work at Bass Harbor head, has finished his job and gone to Seal Island.

Mrs. Julia Webster, who some time ago fell with a kettle of hot soap, scalding her badly, is now better.

George W. Lunt left here this week for Bangor, to join the schooner "J. M. Harlow", Capt. Charles P. Lunt, as mate.

Edward A. Lunt arrived home this week from White Head light station, accompanied by his bride. All wish them much joy.

This place was shocked a few days ago to learn of the drowning of Capt. T. G. Lunt, of the "Jed Frye". He will be sadly missed here.

The sardine factory which has been running all summer will close this week.

Mr. Rich, the cashier, will return to his home in Boston Thursday.

The schooner "Willie L. Maxwell", Capt. E. H. Tinker, was in here on her way from Franklin to Washington, D. C., with stone. From there she will go South.

Nov. 20. THELMA.

Amherst.

Game Wardens Perkins and Herrick were in town last week.

Corydon Richardson is having a furnace put into his house.

Albert Crockett, who has been employed at Kingman, returned home Monday.

Miss Amy Rodick, of Bar Harbor, is visiting her parents, George Rodick and wife.

At the home of the groom Saturday evening, Miss Ruth Orcutt, oldest daughter of William Orcutt, was married to Harry Rodick. Only members of the family were present. Refreshments were served. Both bride and groom live in Amherst, and have many friends who extend congratulations.

Nov. 21.

West Eden.

Mrs. Anna Gott has gone to Happytown to visit her parents.

Mrs. Abigail Mayo has gone to Surry to spend the winter with relatives.

Mildred Emery, of Salisbury Cove, is spending her school vacation with her grandparents, N. W. Higgins and wife.

Nov. 20. S.

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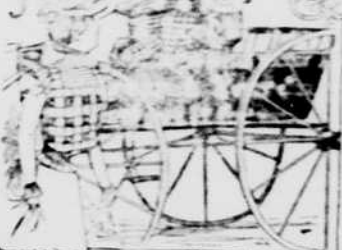
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